#### CELEBRITIES AT HOME.

General Albert Pike, Poets Soldier and Mason-The Oldest Mason in the World

At Home with His Birds and His Pipes The Genius of the scottish Rite-His

S pecial Correspondence of the Gazette. Washington, June 21 .- General Albert Pike, poet, soldier and Grand Commander of the highest council of Masons in the southern jurisdiction of that powerful scope. order, lives in the Scottish Rite Temple, strangely beautiful hand writing of the 2 hs \$-; 3 hs \$1 40; green corn \$1 10@1 50; what is now the down-town portion of The unpretentious whitewashed courthouse, which would hardly do credit to a city of 25,000 inhabitants, lies about

half that distance away, directly west. If you inquire of a Washingtonian the way to General Pike's home, he will tell you that itlis on Eland Third streets, and that you can't miss it on account of the bird cages that till nearly every window of the broad building. And he is right; when you come within half a block's distance, you hear the warbling of hundreds of songsters, and a moment later looking at a large red brick building with many windows, and birds in nearly all of them. It ts curiously proportioned, fronting over



depth of only 50 feet. A small garden only had a few copies printed for distribution among friends and they are now horses, 14 to 15 hands high, unbroken, \$25 00@30 00 per head; Texas bution among friends and they are now horses, 14 to 15 hands high, unbroken, \$30 00@ fence, and the edge of the pavement fronting it is lined with a beautiful him the title of poet. row of well grown maple trees. Over the

eral Pike is in his room on the second " thoor. This is reached by a wide, angular winding staircase with a landing half way up. The landing is not in itself noticeable, but there is an old-fashioned clock on it whose apparent antiquity would arrest the attention of anybody. It stands ten feet nigh and is incased in a black walnut frame, and beside it is a written history of the clock. It was brought to this country in 1663 by John Harris, who came over to the New World with his friend, William Penn. It was presented to the Scottish Rite Temple by John Harris, the last living representative of the sturdy pioneer. 1683! Over two hundred years ago! Involunter ly your mind dwells on the vast changes that have taken place in that time. The free- | wants when the voice of the parent is dom of religious thought, the birth of raised. Though General Pike lived for the most glorious country under the sun, | nearly thirty-five years in Arkansas, he the printing press, steam, the telegraph, was born in the city of "beans and culhe knell of slavery, the youth and age ture," and told me that he was going to and death of she generations of men. try and see his birthplace once more be- egar, 15/25c; concentrated lye, \$2.75@400; jurs. Two centuries! and that old clock has fore he died. He will probably visit there seen it all; and if you were to spend this fall.

Two centuries! and that old clock has fore he died. He will probably visit there glazed, loc per gal; crocks, glazed, loc per gal; dried peaches, 6c; indigo, 75c per h; bluing, 30c all to per dozen; Coleman's mustard, \$1 300c. your life counting you could not count | Just as I was leaving, I noticed a pethe number of times it has ticked. If culiarly designed black and white cross American 75c per box; buckets, two hoops, man only had the vitality of this old suspended by a red cord from General \$1 50 per dozen; brilliant olls, buls, 18c; Eupton, monitor. Bahi it makes me cynical. Pike's neck, and thinking it emblematic

pipe as we enter, and if ever there was a but a great deal to me: the white hair is grand looking old man he is one. Tall my own and the black hair-well it is a and robust, with the grace of youth and woman's." And as I bade the old genthe dignity of seventy-seven years; ex- tleman good bye I wondered what robright as a child's. It is a warm day, could make thoughtful him whose heart's turkeys 50@65c each. and our host has on neither coat nor vest passions had been cooled by the winters to hide the wide expanse of the snowy of seventy-seven years. whiteness of his shirt. And over the collar of this, like a great mane, falls his wealth of silvery bair, half way down to his waist and as thick as a girl's.

"Ha! ha!" the General laughs pleasantly as I allude to it. "A lady came in here yesterday and before I knew what Spot Cotton Unchanged, Futures from she was doing she had cut off a lock with a pair of scissors that she had brought for the express purpose." And he laughs again as if he appreciated her rather interested compliment.

General Pike's study, in which more than half of his life is spent, is a plainly dernished square room, with northern and western exposure. Two desks, a lounge, four or five chairs, a bookease and bookrack complete the furniture. The general is never alone in this room, for there are nearly a hundred birds in it and their music never ceases while day. lines of business. aget lasts. They are of almost every minds, canaries, robins, thrushes, swal- | 71 to 76 cents. ows, mocking birds, and dozof other varieties, some- the supply being large. times over twenty in a cage. After his birds, the favorite hobby of remoral Pike is his pipe collection, which The collapse of the attempt to corner Waterioo 16%; to the most beautiful I have ever seen. Wheat at Chicago has drawn the attention its has seen presented with a half dozen of the speculative world. June 14 to 15 Refrechaums that are real works of art, covered the period of the greatest excite- Amoskess novelties, Sec. Amoskess lottle, Sc. Caledonia staples, 74,677 c; Elasdate cress the price at the Paris national fair for by wheat markets elsewhere. Evilock dress styles, 10-c; Normandte dress styles, 10-c; world and another for being the most Culcago clique brokers had been styles, 8%; Renirew bonclined, 10%; Scotch June ... heactiful the former has a stem over a noted prior to the first date named above, fancy, 7%c; York favorite, 7%c; Warsaw, 7%c; Juny-July ... July-August ... Franco-German wat cost 1000 francs. It is 24 c per busiel from the highest point.

On Tuesday precipitated a decline which, build a first see almost without a first ran prices down some rolled, 5%c.

Colored cambridge-Rossmore flat, 5c; Garner and the Franco-German wat cost 1000 frances. It is 24 c per busiel from the highest point. Franco-German wat cost 1000 francs. It is 244c per bushel from the highest point! richly carved and orcamented with silver on Monday (93gc) to 65c on Wednesday, designs made from German and Swiss lowest quotations for twenty-five years. dollars. The General has smoked all of The real cause of the failure of the corfrom, but his favorite is the little pipe he | ner was the inability of the clique to take was smoking when I extered, and some all the wheat which was being shipped to of the others are rather dusty. "It's a Chicago in view of the high range of shame," he says as he replaces them; prices offered. The visible supply is

morrow." spends over half of his life in the room official and unofficial reports thereof have but weak and unchanged. Wheat lower; the where we now are, and so he does, but it done. It may be that invisible supply weakness elsewhere and unsettled stocks, with

A Multitude of Ailments. bladder are so numerous that merely to name | Chica

both obstinate and dangerous. To their prevention diostetter's Stomach Bitters is well adapted. The stimulus which it lends to the action of the kidneys wher they are lethargic serve to counteract a tendency in them to lange first into a state of per-letous in activity, and after and into one of positive organic discussed, which soon destroys their delical integrands, polsons the blood and causes death. A double purpose is selfed by this depurent it promotes activity of the kinneys and society the language of the languag ural channel of outlet except those organs. Constipation, billous ess, fever and ague, rheumatism and dyspepsia, are also remedied

on the southeast corner of E and Third translator, who never uses anything but green peas \$1 10@1 50; green corn \$1 10@1 50; streets, in the northwestern portion of a quill pen, sharpened by himself. He berries \$1 35; oysets, full weight, 1 \$20@25c; Washington. This building is located in has kept every pen he has ever used, and what is now the down-town portion of there are probably 10,000 of them stored sardines, american, \$6.50 case; imported \$12.50 the city, and is not more than a half mile from the capitol in a direct northwesterly from the capitol in a direct northwesterly of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of my readers have read of the work exemples as a condensed of the work exemples as a condense as a conde cuted by the old Catholic monks before the art of printing was known, and many of you have seen some of these of the author himself to convince you that 10 tons, at yard \$25, delivered \$6.75; McAllis

are wonderfully strange stories." The coal 1 ton, at yard \$12 60, delivered \$12 50 General has been a great student, and, General has been a great student, and, besides Sanskrit, speaks English, French, Portuguese and Italian. He is the oldest Portuguese and Italian. He is the oldest 32 Mason in the whole world, and none rank GRAIN AND FEEDSTUFFS-Quotations behigher. A few years ago he presented the Scottish Rite Temple with his extensive library, which he had been collecting for half a century, and which contained many books that were so rare as to be almost inestimable in value. The members of the temple, knowing that he was not a rich man, insisted in paying him for the treasures of book lore, but for a long time he refused and in the end would accept nothing further than a small annuity. This library is now in charge of Librarian Ashton White, and 22 00 per head; Mexican mares, 14 to 15 hands

extends around it, enclosed by an iron almost unobtainable. They were meri- 50 00 per head; Mexican horses, 13 to 14 hands The Pike family consists of a daughter, entrance, which is reached by a flight of Miss Lillian, and two sons, Luther Hainentrance, which is reached by a flight of gray stone steps, is a sentence in the liton and Ivan. Both of the sons are high, broke, \$100@175 00. From \$2 to \$5 ac Union Pacific Sinking fund. Samarian language, which not one man in tall, well-knit fellows, and bear a striking ditional for thoroughly broke stock.

HIDES AND SKINS-No. I neavy D F hides, a thousand who might pass could read. resemblance to their father, but Miss It is written in large gilded letters, cut Lillian resembles her dead mother more. deep into a marble slab and glinting She is a bright, intellectual woman, and



GENERAL PIKE'S RESIDENCE.

of some Masonic rite I asked him what it | ders, bulk, lie; 1th and 2th cans, \$2.50; maca-General Albert Fike is sitting at his meant. He became thoughtful at once catsup in bulk, per gallon, 85c; Worcester desk, lighting a small, fantastically gilded and said, "It means very little to others pressive brown eyes, which have never | mance of life was weaved into that fragile | ooked through glasses, and which are as symbol of affection, the mention of which

LEWIS V. BOGY.

### ON 'CHANGE.

One to Eleven Points Lower. Money Market Easy.

The Expectation of Large Receipts Causes a Decline in Wheat-Live Stock Transactions Were Brisk.

Daily Review.

GAZETTE OFFICE, FORT WORTH, TEX., June 25, 1887. Trade was on a boom to-day in all

There was a considerable quantity of kind and description. Blue-birds, black- wheat sold to-day ranging in price from

Texas potatoes have declined sharply,

BREADSTUFFS. "I'll have every one of them cleaned to- heavy, and no doubt the clique counted on an exceptionally small invisible sup-I said that my distinguished host plv, as many others who have relied upon sr. Louis, No., June 25.-Flour-Quiet

movement will now be likely to attract clears and clear ribs \$8 15@8 25; short clear more attention than interior shipments to \$8 for Hams—Steady at \$11 00@14 00. The allments which affect the kidneys and more attention than interior shipments to

BUTTER -10@12%c per B; creamery 20c.

GOFFEE-Rio, fair 19c; prime 22c; choice le: Laguyra 21c; Java 31%c; Golden Rio c Vea Berry 24c OF ESE-The better grades and Ohio factory 75 per 100 pounds. CANNED GOODS-Prices per dozen: Pine bs, \$1 60; 3 hs \$2 15: seconds, 2 hs, \$1 35; 3 hs \$2 00; tomatoes, standard, 2 lbs \$1 10; seconds.

EGGS-9c per dozen FRUITS AND VEGETABLES-Oranges, Im perlal, \$4.50 per box; Messina, 200 size, \$4.00; lemons, \$3.75 per box; peaches, one-third bu books, treasured in museums and in the boxes, 50@75c; apples, one-third bu. boxes, 50 archives of the great church of Rome. I @75c; tomatoes, one third bu. boxes, 75@85c; have seen some of them, over which clostered fanatics spent their lives, but 4c; hand picked in bbls, medium bbls, 4c; none of them exceeded the beauty of the perfect letters of General Pike's great work. Every page looks as it is had been patents, \$2.65; third grade, \$2.40. work. Every page looks as if it had been engraved, and indeed it needs the word yard \$6 00, delivered \$6 50; McAllister coal, 5 to ruling quiet, and fluctuations being within a ter coal, 2 to 3 tons, at yard \$6 50, delivered \$7 15; McAllister coal 1 ton, at yard \$6 75; deliv-I asked him if he was fond of reading.
"Yes, very; but I don't have time to indulge myself," he said. "You see, I give to need nearly all my spare time to the Veda. The only books I have for some time are Pennsylvania hard coal, 1 ton, at yard \$12 00; 'She' and 'King Solomon's Mines.' They delivered \$12 50; Pennsylvania hard coal, % ton, at yard \$6 00, delivered \$6 50; blacksmith

> low are on grain from store. In car-load lots \$6 32 corn and oats are 3c per bushel lower than

ots: Mexican mares, 12% to 13% hands high, unbroken, \$15 00@18 00 per head; Mexican is free to the public, the requisite to membership being nothing more than 30 00 per head; Texas mares, 14 to 15 hands proper recommendation. The General has written three books of poems, but only had a few conjectories printed for districan horses, 14 to 15 hands high, unbroken, \$25 00 @30 00 per head; Mexican mules, 12% to 14 hands high, unbroken, \$25 00@50 00 per head; Texas mules, 15 to 16% hands high, broke, \$50 00 Texas and Pacific, Rio Grande div

> See per lb; No. 2 heavy 10%c; No. 1 light 10%c; Dry saited 10@11c; bull hides 9c; glue 5c; green salted 7c; butchers' green 5% abc; shear-

brightly in the rays of the sun which makes a veritable hot house of Washington at this season of the year. Literally translated, these hieroglyphics mean "Holy House of the Temple." Just across the hall from his study within the right of the door as you enter is To the right of the door as you enter is foot and tender the hand that supplies his foot and tender the h Ausable, same, No. 4, 45c; No. 5, 24c; No. 6, 21c; No. 7, 19c; No. 8, 18c. NUTS— eanuts, 6% 27%c: pecans, 10@12c; almonds, 20c: Brazil nuts, 15c per ib; filberts, 15c per ib; English walnuts, 15c per ib.

PROVISIONS-We quote on the basis of car Fish-Mackerel, 10-% kits No. 1, \$1 00; No. 2, 30c; half bbls No. 1, \$5 50; No. 2, \$5 00; codspiced pickled her ings, per bucket, \$1 50. Holland herrings-Kegs, \$1 50@1 75. Dried herrings-Per box, 40c.

Buckwheat flour-16 6-15 cases, \$5 00; 32 3-15, Meat-Sugar cured hams 12%c; sugar-cured oreakfast bacon 11c; short clear bacon 9%c; Texas, and Fashort clear dry salt 3%c. Lard-Tierce, 7%c; 50 th cans, 7%c; 20-th cans, Wabash preferred %c; 10-th cans, 8c; 5 th cans, 8%c; 3-th cans, Wells Fargo Hominy and grits-Per bbl., \$4 00.

Oatmesl-Per half-bol., \$3.75 Cracked wheat-Per 16, 60 Crackers - A soda, 5c; XXX soda, 5c; cream, 8c; ginger snaps, 8c; lemon creams, 8c. Sundries-Starch, Skc; candles, full boxes, 12½c; balves, -; quarters, -; stick candy, 96 10½c; fancy, 10@16c; rope, 11½c; do cotton, 16c; herring, imported, \$1 25 per keg; raisins, layer, \$3 50; cider, crab apple, 45c; Missouri, 30a; vinbbls, 28c; do, 2-5 cases, \$3 10; brilliant, 2 5 cases, \$2 10; do, 11; cases, \$3 96; basing pow-

sauce in bulk, per gallon, \$1 25 Sugar-Fine powdered, bbls, 7%c; do half obls, 7%c; cut lost, 7%c; granulated standard, 7%; Louisiana granulated, 6%c; standard A. c; choice write, 6%c; Louisiana y. c , 6% @ Rice-Louislana, 5% @6% POULTRY-We quote: Young frying chickens @2 00 per doz; old hens \$2 00@2 25 per doz.;

OL-Spring chip, bright medium, 18@21c; light fine, 18c; coarse, 13@16c. WHISKY-Rectified \$1 10@1 50, as per proof sour mash, two years old, \$160@170; three October years old, \$1 90@2 20; fancy, extra old whisky, November.

SPRING 1887-PRICE LIST OF DRY GOODS. Prints—Abion solids, 5½c; Abion Shepard plaids, 5½c; Abion silver greys, 5½c; Allen's fancies, 5½c; Allen's special, 5½c; American fancies, 5½c; American indigo, 7c; anchor sheetings, 5c; Berlin oils, all colors, 6½c; Berlin oils, all colors, all color wick fancy, 4c; Conestoga, new fancies, 54c; Conestega, chocolates, 5%c; Eddystone novel ties, 6; Eddystone satines, 6c; Gloucester ell ver greys, 35-c; Hartel fancies, 55-c; Hartel satines, 55-c; Hartel shirting, 5c; Hamilton staples, 55-c; Ramapo fancies, 4c; Simpson's mocrning, 6c; Simpson's silver grey, 6c; Simp som's linen finish, 6c; Windsor fancles, 6c; Martha Wa hington fancles, 4%c; assorted Bleached cottons-Security %, 5c; social I

4.4, 7½c; Fairfield ¾, 6½@7c; Chapman X, 7½c; Dwyerville 4.4, 7c; Elflerton 4.4, 7½c; glloed age 4.4, 7½c; Lonsdale 4.4, 8½c; Lonsdale cambric, Hc; hero 4.4, 7½c; fidelity 4.4, 7½c; forget me-not, 6c; John Hancock, 7½c; Langbam cambric, 8c; ne plus ultra, 6½c Cotton checks-Black Warrior, 75c; Carolina, 75c; Southern, 75c; Georgia, 7c; Missis-7c; Utility, 65c; Ottoway, 65c; Randleman, 7%c; Greenbriar, 7%c. Cottonades-Aberdgen 9%c; Little Rock Sc.

Ollie's choice sac; Bell D & T 173c; Blue Ridge isc, Mt Vernon N N 19c; Mt Vernon D March.
P 17c; Mt Vernon B T 133c; Norman 20c; April. Richmond 14c; Surrey 1856; burment 1756 den Peak 200, Old Cabin Sc; "Lecumsch 1856c Dress Goods-American 5@185; imported 16

Ginghams-Amoskean staple checks, 74c; Brown cottons—Atlantic A 4 4, 7c; Atlantic P November-December 4,5%c; Adriatic LL 4 4, 5%c; Adriatic 4 4, 5%c; Apsendary September pleton A 4-4, 7c; Argyle family cotton, 6%c; black crow, 6%c; Clifton O C C, 6%c; Deroy, fine brown, 6c; exposition 4-4, 6%c; Chapman

4-4, 3c; Graniteville E E, 6-c; Graniteville H H H, 5-c; Marchall 4-4, 4c; Maginis E E 4-4, 5-c GENERAL MARKETS. Produce and Provisions.

NEW YORK, June 25 -Flour-Market withbladder are so numerous that merely to name them would fill a space far outrunning the limits of this article. Suffice it to say that they are both obstinate and dangerous. To their prevention Bostetter's Stomach Bitters is well adapted. The stimulus which it lends to the action of the kidneys when they are jethargic serve to counteract a tendency in them to large first into an state of persiclous inactivity, and afterward into one of public organic discussions are which soon destroys their delications.

Chicago.

Chicag

at 46%c; July 46%c; August 47%G+7%, closing at 47%c; Sep tember 48%c. Coffee—Sales, 114,000 bags; spot fair; Rio firm at \$1750; options higher and fairly active; quotations were: July \$15 35@15 60; August \$15 70@16 50; September \$16 70@16 40; October \$.6 10@16 50; November \$16 45@16 60; December \$16 30@16 70; January \$16 35@16 70; February \$16 45@16 75; March \$16 55@16 70; April \$16 55 Molasses—Dail and nominal. Tallow firm. Rosin quiet. Turpentine dull Pork quiet and steady. Cut meats unchanged and dull Lard 2@4 points lower, dult and and dull. Lard 224 points lower, dult and heavy; western steam spot quoted at \$6 6752 @ July \$6 66; August \$6 75@6 78, september \$6 87; October \$6 94@6 96; city steam \$6 40. CHICAGO, ILL., June 25 .- It would be hard to imagine a dulier market than that in wheat on board to day. At times the pit was almost deserted. The sound of messenger poys'voices was scarcely heard, so light was the business t ansacted. The shipping demand was fair and

offerings were moderate, but inspection during the past week has been somewhat over 3 000,000 bushels and the stock in store been reduced about 2,000,000. July opened about 1sc lower at 70c and fluctuated throughout day between 69 1 270 1c, closing 69 1c. A petismall range. Crop news is more favorable and has a tendency to create an easier feeling. Considerable "long" corn was offered; July opened at 36%c and sold down to 35%c, the closing figure. Comparatively a light isiness was transacted in provisions; offerings were light, and the demand was only fair. Price averaged lower prices for hoge. The trading was mostly in August and September July r bs opened at \$7 20 and sold up to \$7 25, at which figure it closed July lard opened at \$6.30 and sold up to the closing figure, \$6.35. The leading futures closed as follow: Wheat-June 694(c; July 634(c; August 72); 6724c; September 744c Corn—June 354c; July 354c; August 374c; September 384c. Mess pork—June \$22 00. Lard—June and July \$6 32 5 26 45; August \$6 45 247; September \$6 5 26 57 4. Short ribs—June and July \$7 25; August \$7 37%; September \$7.47%. Cash quotations Wheat 72@75c
Corn—Bulk shelled, 57%c; sack shelled, 60%c.
Oats—Bulk, 43@45c; sacked, 48c.
Bran—93c per hundred.
Hay—Loose local, \$7 00@8 00; Johnson and Hill county, \$11 00@43 00; best, \$15 00@16 00.
Barley—65c per bushel.
Rye—\$1 per bushel.
Alfalfa—16%c per nound.
HORSES AND MULES—In car or train load lots: Mexican marcs, 12% to 13% bands bigh.

FINANCIAL. ENGLISH CONSOLS.

LONDON, June 25.—Consols closed at 191 l6 for money; silver 44 %. NEW YORK, June 75 - Stocks and bonds closed at the following prices bid: United States 3's... Pacific 6's

Central Pacific Chicago and Alton preferred Burlington and Outney. Delaware and Hudson Lackawanna. Denver and Rio Grande Erte preferred. Houston and Texas Central. Olnois Central Lake Shore . intsville and Nashville Michigan Central Missouri Pacific New Jersey Central Northern Pacific Northern Pacific preferred . Northwestern Northwestern preferred New York Central.

Oregon (Transcontinental Pacific Mail. Reading . St. Paul. st. Paul preferred st. Paul and Oo aha preferred Texas and Pacific Western Union

COFFON MARKETS.

Receipts at All United States Ports. GALVESTON, TEX., June 25 .- Cotton receipts t United States ports This day. This day last week This day last year. Catal receipts this season l'otal receists last season. Difference in decrease. Exports thus far this wees. took at United States ports this day

Stock this day last year. New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, La., June 25.-Cotton-Spot losed quiet an unchanged. -ales 400 bales Stock 85,418 bales. Low ordinary 8 c; ordinary 8 c; good ordin-ary 9 c; low middling 10 c; middling 10 c; good middling 10 c; middling fair 11 c; fair

Futures opened and closed steady, at an ad vance of from S to 11 points. 10 36@10 38 10 41@10 43 10 41 btd

Months. | ist call | 2d call. | Close nominal | 10 41@10 47 10 43@10 48 | nominal 10 33@10 34 10 37@10 38 10 38@10 9 82@ 9 3 9 85@ 9 87 9 86@ 9 August September ... 9 4'@ 9 41 9 43@ 9 45 9 44@ 9 22@ 9 33 9 35@ 9 37 9 36@ 9 33@ 9 34 9 36@ 9 38 9 37@ December January 9 40@ 9 41 9 44@ 9 45 9 45@ 9 49@ 9 50 9 53@ 9 54 9 54@ 9 5 9 6 9 6 9 6 2 6 9 6 4 9 6 3 6 9 6

Sales 39,200 bales.

New York. NEW YORK, June 25 -Cotton-Spot closed firm, 1 16c higher. Sales 175 bales. Stock 171,683 bales. Orginary, 83.c; good ordinary, 93.c; low mid-dling, 10 9-16c; mid-ling, 10 15-19c; good mid-dling, 11 3-16c; middling fatr, 11 13-16c.

Futures opened steady, closed firm with an advance of 2 to 11 points. June .. Sectember. November Dec mber.

Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, June 25.-Cotton-Spot closed firm and stiffening; quotations unchanged, Ordinary 5 3 16d; good ordinary 5%d; low miduling 5%d; middling uplands5%d; middling Orleans 5 Total sales 5000: American 7100; Imports

6000; American 2100. uture open d firm at advance, and closed firm at an advance of 164 points .5 41 asked 5 31 asked 5 27 asked

Galveston. GALVESTON, TEX., June 25.-Cotton-Spot closed quiet and unchanged. Low ordinary, Sige; orninary Sige; good ordinary, 94; low middling 1040; middling, 1040; good middling, 10%; middling fair 1140. Gross receipts, none. Sales, 15 Exports, none. Shipments coastwise, none. Rail shipments, none.

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CHICAGO, ILL., June 25.-Cattle-Receipts 1000; shipments none. The market is stead; Shipping steers \$3 25/4 4 35; stockers and feed ers \$1 50 23 10; cows bulls and mixed \$1 25 2 2 75; Texas cattle \$2 20 23 40 Hogs—Receipts 8000. The market is slow and weak, ranging from \$4.70 to \$5.50. Sheep-Receipts 500; shin-ments none. The market is steady; natives \$3.00@4.25; western \$3.60@3.75; Texans \$2.00@ 65; lambs \$1 60@4 25 per head.

The Coffee Market. GALVESTON, TEX , June 25 - Coffee firm, unchanged. Wholesale grocers quote as follows: Good ordinary 21%@22%c; fair 22%@22%c; prime 23c; choice 23%c; peaberry 24%c and old government Java 29 ...c.

The Wool Market. St. Louis, Mo., June 25 .- Wool-Steady, unchanged; bright medium 23@28c; coarse braid 10@23c; low sandy 13@20c; fine light 10@24c; fine heavy 14@20c; tub washed, choice, 39@ 394c; fair 36@38c; low 32@35c.

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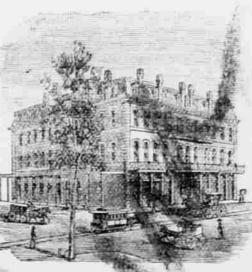
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the new town of Belchen, Montague county, Tex., on the Gainesvile, Henrietta and Western Raffroad, branch of the Missouri Pacific, 47 miles west of Gaine wille, 23 miles east of Henrietta, 12 miles west of north of ontague, and only three miles south of Red river and and the beautiful Indian Territory.

Terms of Sale Lots-All sums up to \$100, cash; \$200 and under, \$100 cash, balance in oue year; \$300 and under, \$100 cash, balance in one and two years; \$400 and under \$100 cash, balance in one, two and three years. Terms of Sale of Lands-From 86 to 810 per acc., secording to quality and location One-fourth wash, and balance in two, three and four years, with 8 per cent, interest per annum most time payments from date of sales, and 10

2,500 Lots and 27,000 Acros of Land

per cemt, discount for cash on all the payments if made made of sale

Included in this Great Sale as Belcher. Lots 50x150 feet deep for residence purposes; lots 200150 feet for business purposes; lands in 80 and 160 acre tracts. Titles absoluted good. Warranty deeds

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